

Butte County Pesticide Enforcement Program Statistics

	2007	2008	2009
Operator identification numbers issued ¹	182	238	167
Restricted material permits issued ¹	1,122	1,082	944
Permits denied ¹	1	2	4
Multi-year permits ¹	0	0	0
Total permitted sites ^{1, 2}	5,466	7,312	5,303
Notices of intent (NOIs) reviewed ¹	4,012	3,913	4,109
NOIs assessed (Pre-application site inspections) ¹	271	162	278
NOIs denied ¹	0	0	0
Pounds of pesticide applied (active ingredient) ³	3,090,515	2,484,719	1,090,074
Number of agricultural applications ³	32,673	29,676	12,368
Number of non-agricultural applications ^{3,4}	258,952	265,973	148,632
Number of all inspections ¹	946	595	1,183
Unclaimed Gas Tax Distribution ^{5,6}	\$117,022	\$241,904	\$241,690
Pesticide Mill Assessment ⁵	\$303,273	\$308,838	\$314,402

Footnotes

¹ Source: Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report (PRAMR)

² Some counties did not report any permitted sites.

³ Source: Department of Pesticide Regulation Pesticide Use Report Database

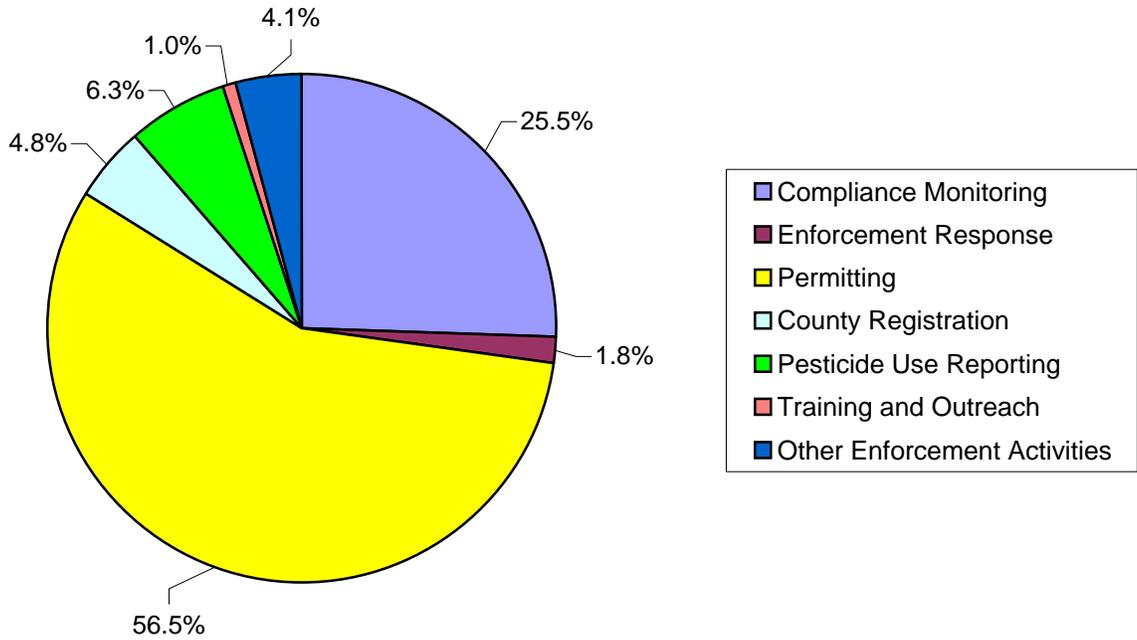
⁴ Analysis of data indicates some problems with reporting and accurately recording these figures.

⁵ Funding is on a fiscal year basis and is based on the prior year's workload.

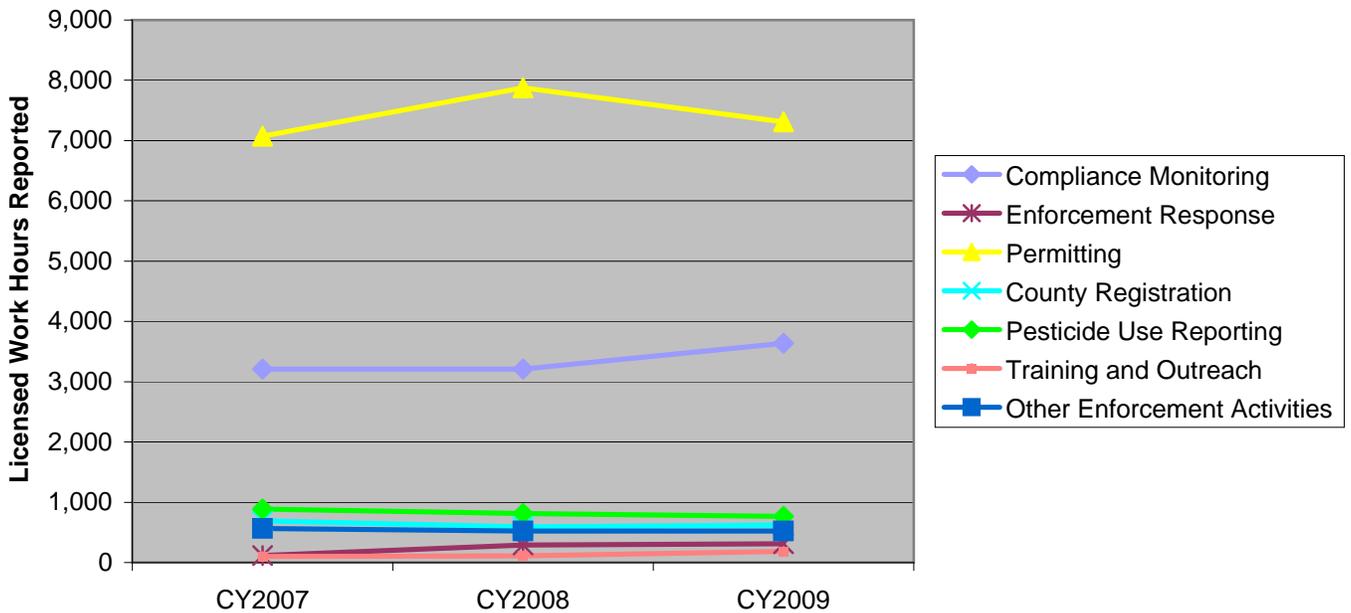
⁶ Funding is on a fiscal year basis. This amount represents 36 percent of the full amount distributed by CDFA for all 10 agricultural programs (FAC 2282) and pesticide use enforcement. The 36 percent represents the typical amount dedicated to pesticide use enforcement.

Butte County Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report Calendar Year Summary

Percentage of Licensed Work Hours Reported By Category During Calendar Years 2007, 2008, and 2009



Number of Licensed Work Hours Reported By Category For Calendar Years 2007, 2008, and 2009



Butte County Inspection Compliance

Inspection Type	Calendar Year 2007							Calendar Year 2008							Calendar Year 2009						
	Number of Inspections	Criteria Compliance			Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Criteria Compliance			Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Criteria Compliance			Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance			
		Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items				Rate	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply				Total Items	Rate	Items That Did Comply			Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate
Agricultural																					
Field Worker Safety	4	20		20	100.0%		100.0%	0							7	36		36	100.0%		100.0%
Pesticide Use - Application	135	2,391	2	2,393	99.9%	2	98.5%	116	2,145	58	2,203	97.4%	14	87.9%	160	2,948	19	2,967	99.4%	10	93.8%
Pesticide Use - Mix Load	86	1,829		1,829	100.0%		100.0%	66	1,403	7	1,410	99.5%	4	93.9%	81	1,783	5	1,788	99.7%	3	96.3%
Commodity Fumigation	53	1,016		1,016	100.0%		100.0%	20	408		408	100.0%		100.0%	31	665		665	100.0%		100.0%
Field Fumigation	3	72		72	100.0%		100.0%	6	168		168	100.0%		100.0%	10	268		268	100.0%		100.0%
Records	64	1,128		1,128	100.0%		100.0%	52	812		812	100.0%		100.0%	78	1,482	2	1,484	99.9%	2	97.4%
Totals:	345	6,456	2	6,458	100.0%	2	99.4%	260	4,936	65	5,001	98.7%	18	93.1%	367	7,182	26	7,208	99.6%	15	95.9%
Structural																					
Fumigation	2	74		74	100.0%		100.0%	2	69		69	100.0%		100.0%	1	31		31	100.0%		100.0%
Non-Fumigation Application	18	356	1	357	99.7%	1	94.4%	15	289		289	100.0%		100.0%	18	356	4	360	98.9%	2	88.9%
Non-Fumigation Mix Load	2	39		39	100.0%		100.0%	3	62		62	100.0%		100.0%	3	62		62	100.0%		100.0%
Records	30	311		311	100.0%		100.0%	10	79		79	100.0%		100.0%	14	145		145	100.0%		100.0%
Totals:	52	780	1	781	99.9%	1	98.1%	30	499		499	100.0%		100.0%	36	594	4	598	99.3%	2	94.4%
Overall Totals:	397	7,236	3	7,239	100.0%	3	99.2%	290	5,435	65	5,500	98.8%	18	93.8%	403	7,776	30	7,806	99.6%	17	95.8%

Butte County Closed Compliance Actions and Closed Enforcement Actions

	2007		2008		2009	
	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers
VIII. Compliance Actions						
A. Warning Letters / Violation Notices		8		41		24
B. Cease and Desist Orders		1		2		3
C. Documented Compliance Interviews		0		0		0
Total:	76	9	168	43	125	27
IX. Enforcement Actions						
A. Administrative Action:						
1. Restricted Materials Permit		0		0		0
2. Private Applicator Certifications		0		0		0
3. County Registrations		0		0		0
4. Structural Civil Penalties		0		0		0
5. Agricultural Civil Penalties		2		5		12
B. Judicial Actions:						
1. Notice to Appear (Citations)		0		0		0
2. Cases Submitted to DA		0		0		0
3. Civil Complaints Filed		0		0		0
4. Criminal Complaints Filed		0		0		0
C. Referrals to DPR		0		0		0
Total:	40	2	125	5	188	12

Note: Compliance and Enforcement actions are not necessarily taken in the same calendar year when the violation occurs. Additionally, some actions may be due to discovery of violations by means other than inspections such as through investigations.

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Most Common Agricultural Violations

Agricultural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2007	2008	2009	Total
Labeling - Permit Condition	0	15	5	20
Handler Decontamination Facilities	0	10	4	14
Personal Protective Equipment	1	10	3	14
Emergency Medical Care/Handler	0	5	6	11
Availability of Labeling	0	6	3	9
Service Container Labeling	0	5	1	6
Container Requirements	0	3	0	3
Coveralls	0	3	0	3
Handler Training	0	2	1	3
Medical Supervision	0	0	2	2
Pest Control Business/Equipment Registered	0	2	0	2
Container Control	0	2	0	2
Notice of Intent Submitted	0	0	1	1
Proper Pesticide Transportation	0	1	0	1

Most Common Structural Violations

Structural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2007	2008	2009	Total
Service Container Labeling	0	0	2	2
Emergency Medical Care/Handler	1	0	0	1
Availability of Labeling	0	0	1	1
Annual Notification Submitted	0	0	1	1

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